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### **Chair**

**Agni Vlavianos Arvanitis**, President and Founder, Biopolitics International Organisation and The Hellenic Chapter of the Club of Rome

### **Speakers**

**Giorgos Kassimatis**, Director, Office of the European Parliament in Greece

**Ierotheos Papadopoulos**, Director, Representative of the European Commission in Greece

**Tom Norring**, Ambassador of Denmark

**Anni Podimata**, Member of the European Parliament

**Kees van Rij**, Ambassador of the Netherlands

**Hana Mottlova**, Ambassador of the Czech Republic

### **Greetings & Round Table Discussion**

**Andres Talvik**, Ambassador of Estonia

**Antoin Mac Unfraidh**, Ambassador of Ireland

**Ali Yahya**, Ambassador of Israel

**Takanori Kitamura**, Ambassador of Japan

**Liga Bergmane**, Ambassador of Latvia

**Michal Klinger**, Ambassador of Poland

**Dragan Zupanjevac**, Ambassador of Serbia

**Hakan Malmqvist**, Ambassador of Sweden

**Konstantinos Anastopoulos**, Mayor of Hydra

**Haris Andrianos**, Director, ELINOIL, S.A.

**Theodoros Athanassopoulos**, Mayor of Koropi (Attica)

**Elisavet Batsara, Konstantinos Triantafyllou**, HELMEPA, Greek Union for the Protection of Marine Environment

**Ioannis Bourlogiannis Tsagaridis**, Ambassador

**Iakovos Dakoutros**, Composer

**Themis Hatjigianni**, Artist and Businesswoman

**Stefanos Kostopoulos**, President, Foresight

**Vassilis Kostopoulos**, Meteorologist

**Ioannis Michael**, President, Hellenic Society for the Protection of the Environment & Culture

**Panagiotis Papadelis**, Dr. Orthopaedic Surgeon

**Maria Paraschaki**, Economist, Consultant of the Intermediate Administrative Authority of the Region of Crete

**Anastasios Philippakos**, Chief executive officer, Hellenic Aerospace Industry

**Christos Trikoukis**, Publisher “European Business Review”

**Nikos Tsalikis**, f. Secretary, the Greek National Council for Radio and Television (NCRTV)

**Ioannis Tsiambas- Roumeliotis**, Publisher, Newspaper Director

**Stefanos Tsolakidis**, President of KLEOS

**Ioannis Tzen**, f. Chairman, Managing Director, Hellenic Foreign Trade Board

**Dimitris Vergados**, Communications Director, Hellenic Federation of Enterprises (SEV)

**Alexandros Vrachnos**, f. President Green Transports

**Andreas Zaimis**, f. Minister

**Alexandros Zavos**, Director, Hellenic Migration Policy Institute

**Christos Zerefos**, Academician, President, National Observatory of Athens

In view of the COP 15 United Nations Climate Change Conference, the Biopolitics International Organisation and the Hellenic Chapter of the Club of Rome are organizing this Symposium in order to discuss and analyse the current issues of Climate Change.

The aim is for every citizen and every government to obviate the danger of our planet's destruction and to salvage the blessing that is life without wasting any time after the conference.

Most scientists consider the 2 °C global temperature increase as a fact and certain scenarios have been discussed of a further increase of 4 °C to 6 °C by the end of this century. The effects of natural disasters as a direct result of climate change are already visible and have a social and economic impact worldwide, degrading the quality of life.

The economic and environmental crises are both an opportunity and a challenge for the formation of a new strategy whose objective is to build a Green Society full of hope. The Biopolitics International Organisation (B.I.O.), having specific proposals is asking for a determinative development that will lead to the application of dynamic measures in Copenhagen, in December 2009.

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